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EB/TCA/OA:JKGORDON (DRAFT)
AF/I:FWIRKUS (DRAFT)
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DIA:CDR. CORNELIUS (SUBS)
OASD/ISA:MHAMILTON (INFO)
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FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY TANANARIVE

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 016929

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, MA, US

SUBJECT: PURCHASE OF HERCULES AIRCRAFT

REF: TANANARIVE 102

1. IN VIEW OF THE RESERVE WHICH THE DEPARTMENT IS ATTEMPT-
ING TO DEMONSTRATE TOWARD THIS POTENTIAL SALE BY SIXTY-
DAY HOLD, AS WELL AS CONCERN WHICH DEPARTMENT HAS
ALREADY COMMUNICATED TO LOCKHEED ABOUT POSSIBLE MILITARY
USE OF L-100'S BY GDRM, WE BELIEVE IT IS INAPPROPRIATE
FOR DATT TO BE TAKING ACTIVE ROLE ON BEHALF OF LOCKHEED
SUCH AS THAT DESCRIBED IN PARA 1 OF REFTTEL.

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2. PENDING RECEIPT OF FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS FROM DEPARTMENT,
EMBASSY SHOULD LIMIT EFFORTS ON LOCKHEED'S BEHALF TO
INFORMAL FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE, AND SHOULD IN PARTICULAR
AVOID INVOLVING DATT AND MINISTRY OF DEFENSE OFFICIALS
FURTHER IN THE TRANSACTION.

3. DIA CONCURS IN THIS MESSAGE.

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